



COUNCILMEMBER  
**BART TURNER**  
Glendale's Barrel District

**September 18, 2015**

Greetings!

It was great to have more than 80 residents attend our city-wide Code Compliance Information Meeting Wednesday evening. Judging by the comments I received afterwards, participants found the material presented by staff to be very informative. Conversely, I was very impressed with the questions asked by our residents! If you would like a compact disc with the material presented at this meeting sent to you, just contact my office at **(623) 930-2249**. Also, I will share a link to the video recording of the event as soon as it is available. We all benefit from reducing code violations which negatively impact our neighborhoods. With your assistance, we can keep our city clean and safe. [Click here](#) to report a code violation or call **(623) 930-3610**.



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Here are a couple of upcoming events I think you may enjoy:

#### Saturday

**Backyard Composting:** Learn the benefits of home composting from a local gardening expert that is suitable for most yards. **A free composter** from the Glendale Recycling Division will be **raffled** off after the class. The event will run from **10 a.m. to noon on at the Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St.**

The **Mary Hoffman Trio**, will be playing original songs and covers (everything from Carrie Underwood's, Before He Cheats to Bruno Mars', Grenade), at Westgate's **Fountain Park** on Saturday, September 19 from **6:30-9:30 p.m.**

Best Regards,  
Councilmember Bart Turner  
Representing Glendale's Barrel District  
Glendale City Council  
**(623) 930-2249**

[Barrel District Webpage](#)

#### City Announcements

##### **Glendale Celebrates National Library Card Month.**

September is National Library Card Month, and the Glendale Public Libraries want to spread the word about this little card with a big value. During the month of September, anyone who comes into a Glendale library to apply for a library card can enter a raffle to throw a pie in the face of a teen librarian! The raffle isn't limited to new card holders; those who already have cards can enter by referring a friend.

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Walk into a Glendale library and you will discover a variety of resources that meet the unique needs of the community. These days cardholders not only have the key to the traditional resources, books, magazines, DVDS, and CDs; they also have full access to amenities that provide the latest technologies and services: personal computers, Wi-Fi, eBooks, eReaders, databases, video games and Culture Passes. Many of these services are offered online 24 hours a day.

To apply for a card, visit one of the three Glendale libraries: Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St., Velma Teague Library, 7010 N. 58th Ave., or Foothills Branch Library, 19055 N. 57th Ave. A picture ID and proof of current address is required to complete the registration process. Children under 14 require a parent or guardian present to apply. A Glendale library card is free to all Maricopa County residents.

Learn more about Glendale libraries online at [www.glendaleaz.com/library](http://www.glendaleaz.com/library).

### City Events

#### **Glendale PD Sponsors Safe Disposal Of Drugs.**

The Glendale Police and the Drug Enforcement Administration are providing residents an opportunity to safely and conveniently dispose of expired, unwanted or unused pharmaceutical substances and other medications. Controlled, non-controlled and over-the-counter substances *WILL BE* accepted. Glass containers, inhalers, intra-venous solutions, injectable and syringes *CANNOT* be accepted due to potential hazards posed by blood-borne pathogens.

The event will take place on Saturday, **September 26**, from **10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** at the north parking lot area of the **Glendale Adult Center, 5970 W. Brown St.**

For more information about this event, contact **Officer Jeff Horsley** at **623-930-4029** or **Officer Andy Lynes** at **623-930-2554**.

**Stand Up For Veterans Event.** The Community Volunteer Program has worked with the "Stand Up For Veterans Event" organizers to provide volunteer opportunities for Veterans in need on **Saturday, September 26 from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.** All community service projects will take place in the **Sahuaro Ranch Park Historic Area** and transportation to and

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Glendale Main Library



Glendale Adult Center



from Glendale Community College will be provided for those who volunteer. For more information about the volunteer portion of the event, please contact Michelle Yates at 623-930-2044.

**Got Hazardous Waste? Let Glendale Pick It Up For Free.** Most of us have cleaning chemicals or other hazardous items laying around the house or garage that we don't know what to do with. The city's solid waste crews will come to your home to pick up your items and dispose of them safely. Glendale's Solid Waste Division offers the free service to the first 750 households that make a reservation. Residents can call to schedule a pick-up Sept. 28 through Oct. 23, and collections will be done between Oct. 23 and Nov. 6.

The service not only helps residents avoid transporting dangerous products, but helps keep regular garbage collections safer. The improper disposal of household hazardous wastes can cause problems for the entire community. Simple items that mix together can cause fires or deadly poisonous vapors that can harm city workers or others.

[Click Here For Complete Details](#)

### Glendale Celebrates 100 Years of Water Service

In 1915, the Town of Glendale purchased Floyd Sine's private water company - complete with 160 subscribers - for \$12,000 and thus secured a reliable source of safe drinking water for present and future Glendale residents.

**You are invited** to celebrate this important moment in Glendale history at an upcoming event called **"Glendale Water: Celebrating a Century of Service"** which will be held on **Saturday, October 3** from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Attendees will go back in time by touring historic **Sahuaro Ranch Park** from 9 to 9:45 a.m. and then head over to the Main Library for refreshments, presentations, and information booths from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

After the presentations, attendees will receive free desert-friendly plants as well as water- and energy-saving household devices.

**Glendale Police Department Shred Event.** The Glendale Police Department will be hosting a Shred Event on Saturday, October 3, 2015 from 8:00 - 11:00 AM. The event will take place in the SW parking area

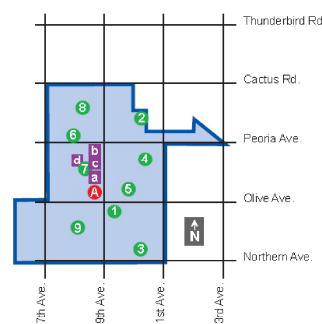


Sahuaro Ranch Park



Glen Lakes Golf Course

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of the Target located at 10404 N. 43<sup>rd</sup> Ave. Glendale, AZ 85302. Please limit four (4) banker boxes per household. Due to demand, event may conclude once the trucks are full.

For further information, please contact Crime Prevention Specialist, Doreen Anderson, GPD at 623-930-4044.

### **Getting Arizona Involved in Neighborhoods**

This year's G.A.I.N. event will take place on **Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup>** from **12-4 p.m.** at **Nazarene Church** located at **5902 W. Cactus**.

For those who may not be familiar with G.A.I.N., G.A.I.N. is an annual event designed to heighten crime awareness and generate support and participation in local anti-crime efforts by uniting community members to help create safer neighborhoods. G.A.I.N. is a program that promotes residents and police working in partnership, to share and promote safety and awareness of community issues and increase neighborhood communication and participation. The Police Department believes in the power of prevention and encourages residents, businesses, public and private institutions and faith based organizations to work in collaboration with the Police Department to make our community a safer place to live and work.

G.A.I.N will include a **Chili Cook Off!** from noon to 1:30 p.m. Enter your chili or your neighborhood watch group's chili into the contest and bring the group out to support your entry! Winners will be selected from the contestants. Contact Community Action Team Member Doreen Anderson at 623-695-0440 for entry or for more information.

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